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Patent Application of	:	Jeffrey H. Burbank et al.
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Title of the Invention	:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LEAK DETECTION IN BLOOD...

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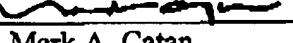
Sir:

Applicant requests a two (2) month extension of time in which to file a reply to the Office Action dated November 17, 2004 for the above application from January 17, 2005 to April 17, 2005.

Please charge the fee of \$225.00 for the extension of time to Deposit Account No. 16-2500 of the undersigned.

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